



WISCONSIN LEGISLATURE

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Tuesday, March 7, 2017

The Honorable Ron Johnson
United States Senate
328 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Tammy Baldwin
United States Senate
709 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Johnson and Senator Baldwin,

We, members of the Republican majority in the Wisconsin State Senate, humbly ask that you and the United States Senate confirm the nomination of Judge Neil Gorsuch to the Supreme Court of the United States.

We ask you to please listen to your constituencies who deserve a fully functioning Supreme Court. The Wisconsin electorate voted for President Donald Trump in November with the understanding that our chief executive would be able to fill the vacancy left by the brilliant Justice Antonin Scalia. The appointment was announced more than a month ago, and we urge you to quickly act on confirmation.

Judge Gorsuch is a qualified jurist and an excellent pick for the highest court in our country. His well-reasoned rulings founded on limited government, the separation of powers and protecting citizens' Constitutional rights have made him a legal scholar respected by his colleagues of both political parties. Furthermore, Judge Gorsuch's record has proven him to be a defender of individual liberty and states' rights.

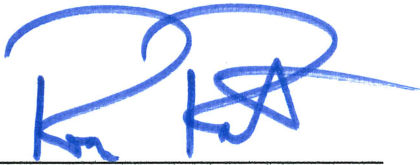
Now is not the time to play partisan politics with our nation's highest court. We encourage both of you to support Judge Gorsuch's appointment and represent the will of your constituents. At a minimum, we ask for an up or down vote on Judge Gorsuch's nomination. The American people have grown tired of the endless gridlock in Washington and there is no reason to use procedural roadblocks to prevent a vote on this qualified nominee.

Thank you for your consideration of our request.

Sincerely,

Sen. Leah Vukmir
Assistant Majority Leader
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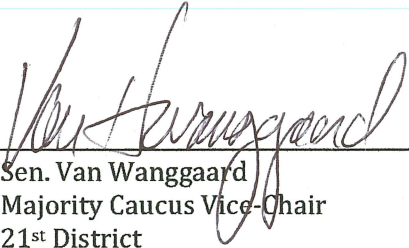
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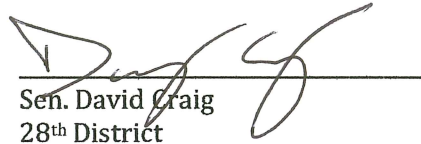
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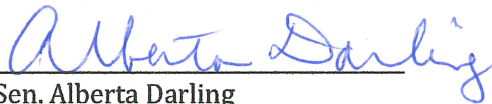
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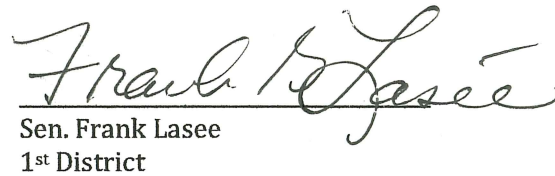
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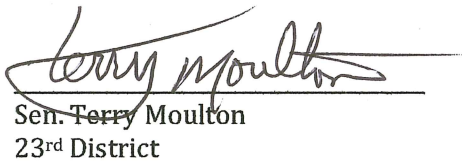
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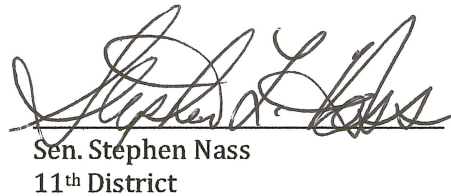
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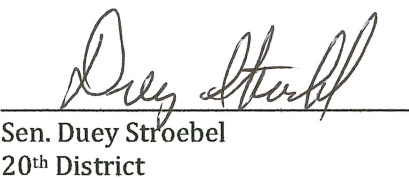
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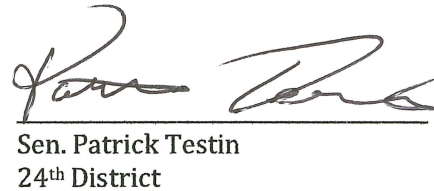
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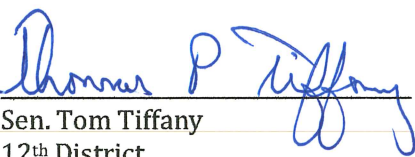
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